

**MINUTES**  
**PROTECTION & WELFARE COMMITTEE**  
**Monday, July 11, 2016**  
**City Hall, Room 207**  
**5:00 p.m.**

**MEMBERS PRESENT:** Ald. Dorff, Ald. Galvin, Ald. Scannell, Ald. Zima  
**MEMBERS EXCUSED:** None  
**MEMBERS ABSENT:** None  
**OTHERS PRESENT:** Asst. City Atty Kristen Bohnert & City Atty. Vanessa Chavez  
Captain Keith Knobel/Chief Andrew Smith-Police Dept.  
Ald. Tom DeWane, Andy Nicholson, David Nennig  
Other interested parties.

1. Roll Call.  
The meeting was called to order Chairman Scannell at 5 p.m.
2. Approval of the Agenda.  
A request was made by Ald. Scannell to take items out of order. They are shown in proper format here.

Moved by Ald. Zima , seconded by Ald. Dorff to approve the agenda as modified.  
Motion carried.

3. Approval of the minutes from the June 6, 2016 meeting.  
Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Zima to approve the minutes from the June 6, 2016 meeting. Motion carried.

*(Item #17 taken next on the agenda)*

Ald. Scannell announced that action taken on all agenda items will go to the next City Council meeting as a recommendation for final action.

- 4 Request by the owners of the Loading Dock, 1405 N. Webster, to hold an outdoor event on July 16, 2016.

No objection from the City Attorney's Office or the Police Department.

Motion made by Dorff, seconded by Galvin to open the floor to allow interested parties to speak. Motion carried.

William Baker – 1405 N. Webster

Mr. Baker explained that this is a one-time event involving a birthday party with approximately 100 or less attendees. He does not plan to have additional security. If allowed, he would like to serve alcohol outside the bar. Temporary fencing was suggested so that the outside area is confined.

Motion made by Galvin, seconded by Dorff to return to regular order of business.  
Motion carried.

Ald. Zima noted that at one time the City had a form for a business owner to make such a request.

Moved by Ald. Zima, seconded by Ald. Dorff to approve the request by the owners of the Loading Dock, 1405 N. Webster, to hold an outdoor event on July 16, 2016 with the caveat that alcohol can be taken outside as long as temporary fencing is provided; and that staff research the form suggested by Ald. Zima to allow such a one-time event. Motion carried.

5. Request by Saz's Hospitality Group to hold an outdoor event at Lambeau Field on September 3, 2016.

No objection from the City Attorney's Office or the Police Department.

City Attorney's Office explained this request is to have tents outside for the Wisconsin/LSU game to be held at Lambeau Field on September 3<sup>rd</sup>. Lambeau already has permission for outdoor events at NFL games.

Moved by Ald. Galvin, seconded by Ald. Dorff to open the floor to allow interested parties to speak. Motion carried.

Joe Brueggemann of Saz's Hospitality - Milwaukee

Joe Brueggemann stated that the Packer Organization has requested that Saz's provide a beer garden south of the field for this event. He was unsure if he needed a license.

When asked by Ald. Zima if the City receives any revenue from this type of event, Mr. Brueggemann responded that he was unsure, although mentioned impact fees.

Legal noted that the purpose of this request is to grant a license for this activity.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to return to regular order of business. Motion carried.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to approve the request by Saz's Hospitality Group to hold an outdoor event at Lambeau Field on September 3, 2016.

Ayes: Dorff, Galvin, Scannell

Nays: Zima

Motion carried 3-1.

6. Request by the owners of Hyatt Hotel, 333 Main Street, to include an outdoor space as part of their licensed premises.

Legal Department recommended approval pending a decision from the RDA who owns the proposed location. Police Department voiced no objections, noting that a fence would be required if this is to be a permanent feature.

Ald. Zima asked that legal counsel bring back information related to present price of leasing.

Moved by Ald. Scannell, seconded by Ald. Galvin to open the floor to allow interested parties to speak. Motion carried.

Jennifer Vieira-333 Main St.

Jennifer Viera, Director of Operations, Hyatt explained that with the expansion of the Convention Center, the Hyatt is looking to ensure a liquor license for weddings and other outside events. She was unsure of leasing costs, but agreed to provide such information.

Ald. Galvin stated that the concern of the committee is with people wandering in and out of an outdoor area with alcohol. Ms. Viera stated there would be security present.

Ald. Zima suggesting holding the item until leasing information is known.

Ald. Scannell asked if anything is scheduled in the near future and Ms. Viera stated not at this time.

Moved by Ald. Scannell, seconded by Ald. Zima to return to regular order of business. Motion carried.

Ald. Zima stated he would like a formal plan to be in place, again suggesting some type of application form which would address if the value is worthwhile and to assure that security is in place.

Ald. Galvin asked if there would be a "blueprint" of the proposed fencing, also asking if such was legal on City property.

Ald. Galvin suggested approval be based on acceptance from the RDA. It was noted that the RDA meets tomorrow, however, this item would not be on their agenda. Holding a special meeting of this committee or changing the date of the regular meeting after the RDA meets was suggested. RDA will meet next on August 1<sup>st</sup>. The next regular meeting of this committee was scheduled for Thursday, August 4th at 3 p.m. and this item will be on the agenda (changed from August 1<sup>st</sup>).

Motion made by Ald. Galvin, seconded by Ald. Dorff to hold approval of the request by the owners of the Hyatt Hotel, 333 Main Street, to include an outdoor space as part of their licensed premises until August 4, 2016 pending a plan and approval by the RDA. Motion carried.

7. Request by Ald. Scannell, on behalf of Downtown Green Bay, Inc. to allow more than two food trucks for Thursday Lunch with Morty the Moose on Main.

No objections from the City Attorney's Office or the Police Department.

This event is held every Thursday throughout the summer. The present ordinance restricts food trucks to two unless special event.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to suspend the rules to allow interested parties to speak. Motion carried.

Jeff Merkens, Executive Director- Downtown Green Bay

Mr. Merkens explained this is a request from Old Main Street which he has helped to coordinate. The Morty the Moose event will be held on Thursdays the month of August from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. (possibly into September). Nearby restaurants and businesses have given approval and are supportive of events in the Main Street District.

When asked if parking is available, Mr. Merkens indicated there is adequate parking for 40 to 60 vehicles. He also noted that food trucks are required to be permitted by the city.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to return to regular order of business. Motion carried.

Moved by Ald. Zima, seconded by Ald. Galvin to approve the request by Ald. Scannell, on behalf of Downtown Green Bay, Inc. to allow more than two food trucks (maximum of five) for Thursday Lunch with Morty the Moose on Main during the months of August and September. Motion carried.

8. Renewal application for a "Class B" Combination License by Kathleen Broder at 1332 S. Broadway.

No objection from either the City Attorney's Office or the Police Department.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to approve the Renewal application for a "Class B" Combination License by Kathleen Broder at 1332 S. Broadway. Motion carried.

9. Application for a "Class B" Combination License by McNeils GB, LLC at 708 Bodart. (Currently Bullseye Pizza Pub).

No objection from either the City Attorney's Office or the Police Department.

Moved by Ald. Scannell, seconded by Ald. Zima to open the floor to allow interested parties to speak. Motion carried.

Shaun McKeefry-708 Bodart St.

Shaun McKeefry, owner of McNeils, confirmed Ald. Galvin's inquiry that this will be a bar and pizza business.

Moved by Ald. Galvin, seconded by Ald. Dorff to return to regular order of business. Motion carried.

Moved by Ald. Zima, seconded by Ald. Dorff to approve the Application for a "Class B" Combination License by McNeils GB, LLC at 708 Bodart. (Currently Bullseye Pizza Pub). Motion carried.

10. Application for a "Class A" Liquor and Class "A" Beverage License by Krist Oil Co. at 1180 E. Mason Street. (Currently Astor Park Mini Mart)

No objection from either the City Attorney's Office or the Police Department.

Moved by Ald. Zima, seconded by Ald. Dorff to approve the Application for a "Class A" Liquor and Class "A" Beverage License by Krist Oil Co. at 1180 E. Mason Street. (Currently Astor Park Mini Mart). Motion carried.

11. Application for an available "Class B" Combination License by Board and Brush Creative Studio-Green Bay, LLC at 235 N. Broadway.

No objection from the City Attorney's Office or the Police Department.

When asked by Ald. Zima the type of business, it was explained Board and Brush will be a studio where individuals can paint and do arts and crafts. Alcohol is available.

Ald. Zima confirmed this is a new liquor license, asking if there is still a moratorium in place. He noted that several years ago an effort was made to reduce liquor licenses in this area. Legal explained there is no ordinance, however, at one time resolutions were in place. Zima questioned the need for liquor at this type of business.

Ald. Galvin noted this appears to be a current trend while doing this type of activity.

A business plan was noted to be on file which includes hours of operation and that only 24 customers are allowed at one time.

Ald. Zima asked if approval could be given with the caveat that the business surrender their license if they close and not be allowed to sell it to a new owner. Response was made that it is not legal to sell a liquor license to another business and it is a requirement to contact the city for a transfer.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to open the floor to allow interested parties to speak. Motion carried.

Katie Forman – 235 N. Broadway

Katie Forman, owner, explained that art is the primary focus of this business, also providing creativity and a social experience. The cost to attend classes is \$65. There will be one employee to work with every six people. In addition to wine, soda and water would be provided. Stated she understood the requirements of a liquor license.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to return to regular order of business. Motion carried.

Moved by Ald. Zima, seconded by Ald. Galvin to approve the Application for an available "Class B" Combination License by Board and Brush Creative Studio-Green Bay, LLC at 235 N. Broadway with the condition that the license be returned to the City unless sold to same kind of business. Motion carried.

12. Application for a Class "B" Beverage License by Gather on Broadway at 139 N. Broadway.

Ald. Galvin stated that because his daughter recently had a wedding reception at this establishment, he would abstain from the vote.

No objection from the City Attorney's Office, or the police Department.

Ald. Zima stated that again this is an application for a liquor license on Broadway. He noted that the City OWI Task Force was created to reduce the number of alcohol related businesses on this street. He suggested a review of former moratoriums.

Ald. Scannell indicated that if this were a tavern he would be concerned, however, this is a business where wedding receptions and other gatherings will be held. Serving liquor is not the focus.

Captain Keith Knobel explained this is not viewed as a bar by the Police, nor is the Board and Brush above, but rather a place where larger group luncheons and wedding receptions can be held and where alcohol is an option.

Ald. Zima noted that the effort made to clean up Broadway has been successful and he does not want to see that revert. He again asked if the owner would consider returning the license to the City in the event the business closes.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Scannell to open the floor to allow interested parties to speak. Motion carried.

Tom Everman- 139 N. Broadway

Stated that this building last housed a Segway tour business. The space was renovated to accommodate this new business. When asked about the size of events, the response was that numbers will range from 16 for private dining to 350 for weddings and other larger gatherings.

Tony Ehrbar of 139 North Broadway addressed parking availability.

When asked by Ald. Zima if there would be any problem with forfeiting the license if the building sold, the response was they would not.

Moved by Ald. Zima, seconded by Ald. Scannell to return to regular order of business. Motion carried.

Moved by Ald. Zima, seconded by Ald. Dorff to approve the Application for a Class "B" Beverage License by Gather on Broadway at 139 N. Broadway, subject to them giving their license back to the City unless sold to same type of business.

Ayes:

Abstain: Galvin

Motion carried.

*(Agenda items 13 and 14 taken out of order)*

14. Request by Ald. Scannell to amend Section 33.08 (2) RESTRICTIONS ON LOCATION. (Amd. GO 11-00) (Amd. GO 25-10) No alcohol license shall be issued for a premises when any portion of the structure housing the premises would be less than 300 feet from any portion of a structure housing any established public school, parochial school, hospital, or church.

Ald. Scannell stated he brought this item forward as he believes the ordinance was meant to address convenience stores and taverns. He is aware of a business which wishes to open in said areas, a type of one stop wedding shop which is not in the business to sell alcohol.

Ald. Zima asked if Scannell is suggesting a change in ordinance or rather if he would like an exemption. Scannell suggested an amendment which would allow this type of business.

It was suggested that at this time an exemption be made for the business and that a future change to the ordinance be considered which would include specific events to be excluded.

Attorney Bohnert distributed the current ordinance along with the State Statute which regulates restrictions on location. She explained that the current ordinance does not allow the Council to make an exemption, however, they could waive the requirement until the ordinance is amended.

Ald. Zima stated he would prefer a provision for waiver, rather than a change to the ordinance. Attorney Bohnert highlighted the language from state statute which could be used as a basis for amendment. The process of change would take two months.

Moved by Ald. Zima, seconded by Ald. Galvin to open the floor to allow interested parties to speak. Motion carried.

Gina Krahn - 35621 Finger Road for Sepia Wedding Chapel

Explained the majority of her business is weddings, family reunions, etc. usually held on weekends. Food is catered, and she would like to provide liquor. She has a good relationship with the school next door and at times they have shared parking.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to return to regular order of business. Motion carried.

Ald. Scannell asked how the committee wished to proceed – to amend the law and define specific businesses to be allowed, or to provide exemptions on an individual basis.

Ald. Galvin stated he preferred the exemption process on a case to case basis which would allow more control. Although Ald. Zima stated he would prefer a two-thirds vote to pass, others had no issue with a majority vote.

Ald. Dorff asked for examples of other issues requiring a 2/3rds vote, the response was there are not a lot and those that do relate to resolutions, moratoriums, etc.

Motion by Ald. Zima, seconded by Ald. Galvin to approve the request by Ald. Scannell to amend Section 33.08 (2) RESTRICTIONS ON LOCATION. (Amd. GO 11-00) (Amd. GO 25-10) No alcohol license shall be issued for a premises when any portion of the structure housing the premises would be less than 300 feet from any portion of a structure housing any established public school, parochial school, hospital, or church to be waived by a two-thirds vote of the governing body. Motion carried.

13. Application for a “Class B” Combination License by Sepia Wedding Chapel, LLC at 3562 Finger Road.

Per discussion in #14 above, it was suggested to hold approval of this application for two months or until after ordinance is amended.

Moved by Ald. Zima, seconded by Ald. Galvin to hold the Application for a “Class B” Combination License by Sepia Wedding Chapel, LLC at 3562 Finger Road until the first P&W meeting after the GBMC meets or Section 33.08 of the Ordinance is amended. Motion carried

15. Appeal by Leslie Newton to the denial of her Operator License application.

City Attorney’s Office recommended denial based on arrest, conviction, municipal court records, and records on CCAP for this individual.

Police Department concurs with this recommendation due to the pattern of violations related to operating after revocation, intoxication, etc. over many years.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to open the floor to allow interested parties to speak. Motion carried.

Leslie Newton – 234 Berger Street, Green Bay

Ms. Newton explained she has been offered a position in management at Applebee’s Restaurant which requires a liquor license. Although she already is allowed to serve liquor, she needs a license to future her goals.



Ald. Dorff asked about the aforementioned charges and Ms. Newton explained that at the age of 16 she had a “heavy foot” and was pulled over several times and was put on probation. She continued to drive. Dorff noted several charges were reduced and Atty. Bohnert explained the system used by the DA’s office.

Ald. Dorff asked why so many altercations with the law and Ms. Newton explained her situation. When asked what’s different now, she stated that about two years ago she lost everything and began to find a way to straighten out. She is on medication through her physician, and has been to counseling, however, has not stuck it out. Ms. Newton provided letters of recommendations from Applebee’s and from the DA.

Ms. Newton stated she is fighting not only for a bartender license, but also for her future.

Ald. Zima stated he would be in favor of approval.

Ms. Heideman, Everest Drive, Green Bay  
Stated that Ms. Newton will not be tending bar in her management position, noting that it is, however, a requirement to have a license. She has seen Ms. Newton go through ups and downs but feels she is on an upswing at this time.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to return to regular order of business. Motion carried.

Ald. Zima stated that as Ms. Newton’s position is in a supervisory role and the establishment has put their faith in her, he would support approval of the request for an operator license.

Moved by Ald. Zima, seconded by Ald. Dorff to reopen the floor.  
Motion carried.

Leslie Newton – Stated that Applebee’s did run a background check which they approved and accepted.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Zima to return to regular order.  
Motion carried.

Ald. Galvin indicated that he is not in favor of approving this request, stating that although Ms. Newton has taken steps to improve her life, he feels more time is needed before a liquor license is granted. He feels she has shown disregard for obeying laws in the past.

Ald. Dorff opined that Ms. Newton seems to accept her situation and has family and employer support. She would like Ms. Newton to have a second chance, stating she would support the request.

Ald. Zima stated that past experience has shown that when an employer backs his employee, the request is usually granted noting that they are putting their license at risk if the individual fails.

Ald. Scannell stated that although he would also have liked to see more time pass since the last incident, this is a position of management which requires a level of maturity and skills. Ms. Newton will not just be serving alcohol behind a bar. He also stated that Ms. Newton's letters of recommendation speak well for her and that she has the support of many. Giving these reasons, Scannell stated he would support the request.

Motion made by Ald. Zima, seconded by Ald. Dorff to approve the Appeal by Leslie Newton to the denial of her Operator License application.

Ayes:

Nays: Galvin

Motion carried 3-1

16. A discussion and possible action regarding an ordinance relating to the Green Bay Public Arts Commission.

A draft ordinance was included in packet material. Atty. Bohnert noted that Atty. Quarles of the Law Department drafted the ordinance and has recommended that item (h) be amended to state, "that all City Departments . . . on installation and maintenance . . .".

When Ald. Zima asked why this is necessary, it was explained that it is for advisory reasons and is a more coordinated way to assure the efforts of public and private entities. Ald. Scannell, who helped work on the document, stated that in the future issues will not come to Protection & Welfare but instead go directly to the standing committee involved who will then report to the City Council. It was explained that the ordinance will refer issues to professionals in the specific area. One alder will serve on the Commission who can report directly to the Council. Many communities in the state have approved such an ordinance.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Zima to open the floor to allow interested parties to speak. Motion carried.

Matt Bero - South Monroe

Noted there has been in a lot of planning to make the Public Arts Commission a cohesive effort and that they see no downside. Pointed out that Milwaukee & Madison have had Public Arts Commissions for the last 20 years. Any art that is placed in the City in a public space can be moved or changed by request.

Ald. Zima asked what is lacking that this should be implemented. Several examples were given, one being new areas to be activated

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to return to regular order of business. Motion carried.

Ald. Scannell opined that the ordinance will serve as an advocate, a promoter, will channel art, and will be a benefit to the City.

Motion made by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to approve the Ordinance relating to the Green Bay Public Arts Commission with amendment to Section (h). Motion carried.

*(Move to #18 on the agenda)*

17. A discussion and possible action regarding an ordinance relating to the replacement of lead water service lines.

It was explained that the development of an ordinance will provide a vehicle to contact residents who may need replacement of lead water service lines. At this time, lines needing replacement have been identified and involve approximately 250 homes. Partial funding has been established for this program through the City and there is the potential of additional dollars through a DNR Safe Drinking Water Loan grant.

Ald. Zima noted that the cost of the program is not specifically addressed in the ordinance. Staff explained that this document is primarily a vehicle to inform residents of the issue and is a first step. When further funding is identified, this committee will be informed. It is estimated to cost approximately \$6,000 per home and the City has committed to provide \$300,000. Of the total number of homes involved, 40 relate specifically to the City.

Motion made by Zima, seconded by Dorff to approve an Ordinance relating to the Replacement of Lead Water Service Lines pending financing being available. Motion carried.

*(Back to #4 on the agenda)*

18. A discussion and possible action regarding Pedal Pubs in Green Bay.

At the last meeting staff was directed to review other cities who have Pedal Pubs and report back.

Captain Keith Knobel stated he spoke to the Police Chief who supports the idea of Pedal Pubs although has concerns he thinks can be alleviated through a very stringent ordinance. The Chief visited the City of Milwaukee to review where they have Pedal Pubs in the 3<sup>rd</sup> ward. He spoke to officers who stated they had no issues, however, it was noted that they operate in an area with little traffic. Pedal Pubs in Madison were also reviewed and again it was found that they operate in areas of little traffic.

Captain Knobel questioned what area the individual has in mind for Green Bay if Pedal Pubs were to be approved. The Chief asked that any business plan and ordinance include an acceptable level of operation to not worry about the safety of pedestrians and those on bicycles.

Ald. Galvin reported that he visited Milwaukee and rented a Pedal cab with his family and friends, 15 in all. They went to the Pedal Tavern, located at the edge

of the 3<sup>rd</sup> ward who owns six of these units. They were there at the time of a Brewer game and Summerfest and found it to be a good experience

Galvin stated he talked with the Manager at the Pedal Tavern who explained that they run about 40 trips with the vehicles on Saturday, and another 30 to 40 during the week. There was always one coming in and out, loading up and heading out. Galvin and his party went about one mile on the pedal cab visiting three establishments where they had something to eat and drink, after which they returned to the Pedal Tavern for a meal. He stated rules allow for three 12 oz cans per individual on the vehicle and no hard liquor. Drinking has to be done on the unit and cannot be taken off the vehicle. They brought snacks on the cab and enjoyed music, interacting with individuals on the route. Galvin explained that the Pedal Tavern has pre-saved parking for the cabs to allow for safe on and off. He found the experience enjoyable and safe and had nothing negative to report. Galvin stated he could see this as a benefit in the Green Bay area.

Ald. Dorff indicated her concerns were addressed by Ald. Galvin related to vehicle operation in traveled areas. She questioned use on bridges and Galvin stated that use on Tower Drive would not be appropriate, suggesting that test runs be done on the others.

Related to the concern of alcohol use, Galvin indicated that passengers wear wrist identification and those establishments where they stopped offered a discount on food and beverages, one being a sangria wine bar and another a draft beer bar.

Ald. Zima asked if there was a designated driver and Galvin indicated that in the beginning there was, however, by the end of the time spent there, they had switched to water. He noted that two of the groups used Uber service to get home and back. Police officers were seen in the area and overall it was a friendly atmosphere, enjoyed by patrons and others visiting restaurants, etc.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to open the floor to allow interested parties to speak. Motion carried.

Will Liebergen – 231 N. Broadway

Operates a bar at 231 North Broadway in Green Bay. He noted that the committee appears to be moving toward a better appreciation and understanding of the use of pedal pubs. He confirmed that the vehicle used by Ald. Galvin was not motor assisted, stating that the ones he hoped to have in Green Bay would be and, therefore, would be more accessible in and out of traffic or on bridges.

When asked the speed of the units, Mr. Liebergen thought between 5 to 7 miles per hour. He pointed out that downtown Green Bay is relatively traffic free as compared to Milwaukee and Madison.

Ald. Zima asked if Mr. Liebergen had routes in mind. He replied that North and South Broadway would be considered as they are relatively quiet other than between Walnut and Dousman. He also noted that a 4 mile route near the paper mills is a consideration as there are establishments on the route in addition to

bike lanes. Another would be a route to the downtown area over one bridge and back over another. He stated there would be routes to offer, however, would also be based on customer request, wine, ice cream, chocolate, boutiques, shopping, etc. He noted there are many options, many of which are not alcohol related.

When asked where vehicles would be housed, Mr. Liebergen stated that his establishment has a back parking lot where they would be kept with access on Hubbard Street.

Mr. Liebergen informed the committee that current State Statute allows for pedal pub operation, however, he brought the idea before this committee to assure it would be a safe operation in Green Bay and held to high standards. He suggested that an ordinance include the requirement of a liquor license or ties to an establishment, and an operator's license to assure accountability.

A citizen also spoke regarding his opposition of pedal pubs. The citizen stated although he understands the Police Chief supports the pedal pub vehicles, he opined it is just another opportunity to drink in different places. He also expressed concern with the traffic routes and interruption with car traffic.

Moved by Ald. Zima, seconded by Ald. Dorff to return to regular order of business. Motion carried.

Ald. Galvin suggested that the matter be referred to staff develop and ordinance after review of those used in Milwaukee, Madison, and Minneapolis. It should include route ideas, hours of operation, how many vehicles can operate, etc.

Ald. Zima questioned why someone would make the investment, noting that Green Bay is not the size of the other cities which have the population to make this type of venture successful. He does see potential around the Packer Stadium and Bay Beach, however, questioned other routes and traffic concerns on Broadway which is basically two lanes. Although not totally opposed, questions the benefit and fit to the Green Bay area.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to open the floor to allow interested parties to speak. Motion carried.

Tyler 2675 Kathy Drive, Green Bay

Co-owner of Green Light, an organization to promote positive disruptive change and enrich adversity in the Green Bay area. Stated that although Green Bay is not as large as Milwaukee and Madison, it is the third largest city in the state. The community has three colleges and there is a continuous fight to bring culture to the area. It is known that Green Bay is not expanding as quickly as DePere or Ashwaubenon. Pedal Pubs have proved successful in other areas and the ordinance suggested is stricter than State Statute. He pointed out that the accident in the Minneapolis area involved an individual who was intoxicated and who was charged with misdemeanor felonies. He would like to see the City give this idea an opportunity as it will give people something else to do and draw

individuals to the community to see the changes to the waterfront related to condos and other business opportunities.

Brian Johnson – South Irwin, Executive Director – On Broadway

Mr. Johnson stated On Broadway, Downtown Green Bay, Old Main Street, and the Visitor & Convention Bureau all support the idea of Pedal Pubs. The main concern relates to their safe operation. Mr. Johnson shares that concern and is looking for input from the committee and Council to assure safety. He opined that alcoholism is not related to this activity stating that people will find a way to drink if they want to. He stated that when amenities are hindered in a community, it does not better their position.

Moved by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to return to regular order of business. Motion carried.

Motion made by Ald. Galvin, seconded by Ald. Dorff to refer to staff to develop an ordinance related to the request that the City Council consider Pedal Pubs in Green Bay after review of those used in Milwaukee, Madison, and Minneapolis. It should include route ideas, hours of operation, how many vehicles can operate, etc. Motion carried.

Motion made by Ald. Dorff, seconded by Ald. Galvin to adjourn at 7:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by:

Rae G. Knippel  
Transcription